

UNSWORTH MALCOLM
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
UNSWORTH MALCOLM

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ITRON INC /WA/ [ITRI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2111 N MOLTER ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/12/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & COO

LIBERTY LAKE, WA 99019

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	02/13/2009	02/13/2009	S	699 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$ 54.1397	16,036	D
Common Stock	02/12/2009	02/12/2009	A	3,715	A	\$ 0	19,751	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 57.96	02/13/2009	02/13/2009	A	50,000	(2) 02/13/2019	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
UNSWORTH MALCOLM 2111 N MOLTER ROAD LIBERTY LAKE, WA 99019	X		President & COO	

Signatures

MariLyn R. Blair, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Unsworth
 Signature: _____ Date: 02/17/2009

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents shares sold to cover taxes owed on vested stock award
- (2) 33 1/3 % of option is exercisable on each of Feb. 13, 2010, 2011, and 2012.

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